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House Bill 1310 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

- 1 To amend Article 9 of Chapter 21 of Title 15 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated,
- 2 relating to the Brain and Spinal Injury Trust Commission, so as to provide that such
- 3 commission may solicit funds from certain entities and persons; to provide for related
- 4 matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

## 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 SECTION 1.

- 7 Article 9 of Chapter 21 of Title 15 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the
- 8 Brain and Spinal Injury Trust Commission, is amended by revising 15-21-147, relating to
- 9 acceptance of federal funds, gifts, and donations, as follows:
- 10 "15-21-147.
- 11 The commission may accept and solicit federal funds granted by Congress or executive
- order for the purposes of this article as well as gifts and donations from individuals, private
- organizations, or foundations. The acceptance and use of federal funds does not commit
- state funds and does not place an obligation upon the General Assembly to continue the
- purposes for which the federal funds are made available. All funds received in the manner
- described in this Code section shall be transmitted to the director of the Office of Treasury
- and Fiscal Services for deposit in the trust fund to be disbursed as other moneys in such
- 18 trust fund."
- 19 SECTION 2.
- 20 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.